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The parties' joint letter-motion requesting an extension of time to file their proposed ESI Protocols (ECF No. 232) is GRANTED, and the deadline to file the proposed ESI Protocols is EXTENDED to **Wednesday**, **September 8**, **2021**.

The Clerk of Court is respectfully directed to close ECF No. 232.

SO ORDERED 8/19/2021

August 19, 2021

## VIA ECF

Magistrate Sarah L. Cave United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Room 1670 New York, NY 10007

United States Magistrate Judge

Re: JLM Couture, Inc. v. Hayley Paige Gutman 20-cv-10575-LTS-SLC

Dear Judge Cave:

Counsel for Plaintiff JLM Couture, Inc. ("JLM") and Joseph Murphy ("Mr. Murphy") and Defendants Hayley Paige Gutman ("Hayley") and Conrad Louis Clevlen ("Conrad")(collectively, "Parties") in the above-referenced action jointly submit this letter-motion pursuant to Rule I.A of Your Honor's Individual Rules to request an extension to file the Protocols for the Preservation of Certain ESI ("ESI Preservation Protocols") that are currently due on August 20, 2021, pursuant to the July 8, 2021 Order, as modified by the July 30, 2021 Order.

The Parties are requesting up to and including September 8, 2021, to file the ESI Preservation Protocols.

This is the Parties' second request for an extension of time to file the ESI Preservation Protocols. The reasons for this request is due to other conflicting deadlines and workload in this case, some of which arose after the July 8, 2021, conference where the schedule was decided. Specifically, on July 29, 2021, Hayley filed an opposition to JLM's Motion for Contempt contemporaneously with a cross-motion for attorneys' fees, to which JLM filed an opposition on August 5, 2021, and Hayley filed a reply on August 12, 2021. Additionally, the parties filed their amended pleadings on August 13, 2021.

The parties have a working draft of the ESI Preservation Protocols and are in the process of exchanging edits and negotiating the terms. Due to the substantive nature of the edits to be exchanged and based upon other deadlines this week that Counsel for Defendants have, and that JLM's opposition brief in the appeal is due on September 6, 2021, the parties believe they need

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some additional time to finish the meet and confer process and submit the ESI Preservation Protocols to the Court, and as such are jointly submitting this request.

This request will not affect any other deadlines in this Case and as noted above all parties consent to this joint request.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

s/Tiffany M. Cooke/

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cc: counsel of record (via ECF)